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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/894,406  
Applicant: James T.C. Yuan  
Filed: June 28, 2001  
Title: METHOD OF PRESERVING AND DISENFECTING A  
FOOD COMMODITY  
TC/A.U.: 1761  
Examiner: Leslie A. Wong  
Docket Number: Serie 5725

**PETITION AND FEE FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

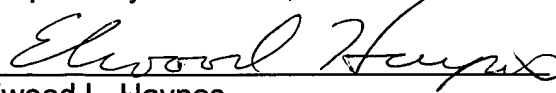
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request a 1 month extension of time until April 23, 2004 in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 18, 2003 for the above-identified application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 01-1375 the fee of \$ 110.00 for obtaining this extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1375. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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